

REMARKS

The Office action indicated that all claims except for dependent claims 10-12 were cancelled by Examiners Amendment pursuant to the Decision of the Board of Appeals in accordance with MPEP 1214.06 and that claims 10-12 must be presented in independent form. Claim 10 is now in independent form with claims 11 and 12 depending from Claim 10.

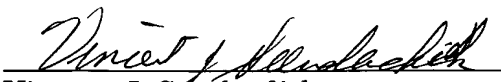
Passing of this case to issue is now requested.

If there are any questions regarding this amendment or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #101280.49983).

Respectfully submitted,

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